

REMARKS

The amendments herein have been made to broaden the coverage of claims 1, 2, 5, 7 and 8. The invention contemplates that the first adornment layer be stitched in a manner that it can be removed without destroying the substrate layer. While tack stitching is one preferred form of lock stitching, other types of lock stitching can be utilized, such as a continuous lock stitch, even though the removal of the first adornment layer may be made more difficult. Essentially, virtually any type of stitching known in the industry is contemplated for use by the invention, though tack stitching is preferred by reason of its facilitated application and removal.

The extra claim fee of \$18.00 is enclosed. Should additional fees be required in connection with this matter, please charge our deposit account No. 23-0786.

An early and favorable action on the merits is requested.

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